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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**A. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Reply is responsive to the Office Communication dated 23 August 2006.

Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend the claims as indicated in Section B.